7-35 (canceled)

STATUS OF THE CLAIMS

Claims 1-67 were originally filed in this patent application. In response to a Restriction Requirement dated 04/06/04, an Election of Claims was filed on 04/26/04 that canceled claims 36-67. In response to the pending Restriction Requirement dated 07/14/04, applicants have canceled claims 7-35 herein. As a result, claims 1-6 as originally-filed are currently pending.

REMARKS

Claims 7-35 have been canceled herein in view of a divisional patent application that will be filed to pursue these non-elected claims. Claims 1-6 as originally-filed are now pending. The Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned if this would in any way advance the prosecution of this case.

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